

TUESDAY EVENING. SEPT. 24, 1907

THE OLD Congressional Globe's motto, "The world is governed too much," has its truth was never more plainly visible than in the injudicion legislation now hampering the operation of some railroads, especially those in the southern country. President Finley, of the Southern Railway, has recently in speeches and correspondence expressed his concern at the outcome of the present crusade. The movement is necessarily causing the discharge of many workmen on entire systems, while the fluctuations of the money market-the truest of all thermometers-ue cousing natural apprehension among the masses. Apart from the above, the prosperity of the southern country is especially menaced by much of the unwise legislation, the result of the prevailing epidemic against corporations, which is calculated to root up the wheat with the tares. The phenomenal growth of the South during the past two-score years is often alluded to with pride by people living this side of Mason and Dixon's line, and while the forging ahead of this section may justly be regarded as wonderful, the fact remains that the change has been wrough by the enterprise and industry of the southern people and that present conditions are not the result of a freak of fortune. The northern portion of the country, especially the manufacturing centres, have looked upon the New South with alarm; if not envy, while those of the North interested in maritime pursuits realize that Norfolk, Newport News, Wilmington, Savannah, Charleston, Mobile, New Orleans, Galveston and other southern ports are gradually becoming as important as most northern cities of the Atlantic coast. It should not be forgotten that the railroads are the feeders of the cities named. No matter what fault may at times be found with railroads, all must acknowledge that they play a most important part in the prosperity of a country, and while conservative safeguards should be thrown around them, the owners and operators should receive the encouragement which is their due when they do their best for the interest of their patrons. Laws fixing rates for transportation in certain crowded centres would probably work no injustice to the roads, while such laws, if made general and applicable to other less populous places would prove minous and result in the inability of the management of roads to operate the same save at a loss. All would be glad to see uniformly low rates, but such should be left to the business men at the head of railway systems, and not to legislative bodies which are too often governed by public clamor. In a recent correspondence Mr. Finley made the following practical observations:

The importance of increased and improved transportation facilities to the continuation of progress and prosperity in the Southern States is a matter in which every individual in the South is vitally interested, whatever may be his business or occupation. For some years past the South has been progressing at a rate that has not been equalled by any other section of country. * * * Great as has been the increase in Southern production, the undeveloped natural resources of our sections are still so great as to aff ard opportunities for almost indefinite in creases along all lines, until the South shall become one of wealthiest and mort populous section of the United States. " am not contending for any special favors for the railways. I ask only that they be recognized as business institutione, upon the ability of which to perform their proper functions the success of other business enterprises must depend, in very large degree. I ask that they be given the same measure of protection under the law that is given to property in every other form. They be subjected to such governmental regulation as is necessary to protect the buyers of transportation, the public generally, in all their rights. Legislation of this character, for the prevention of wrong, cannot be too strict- the young woman had recently endeavor- family, two of which figure in the trunk and undertakes to regulate the management of a business in which private in dividuels assume all the risk, there is danger that investors may breame alarmed and decline to furnish the capital needed for the increase and improvement of railway facilities.

THE STATE of South Carolina is finally out the liquor business. On the first of last February there was in the warehouse in Columbia about \$700,000 worth house in Columbia about \$700,000 worth the train disappeared, dropped fifteen of liquors belonging to the State. feet below the surface of the land. The When at that time the legislature determined to abolish the system a con ission was created to close up business, and the last has just been sold. Sr, after 14 years 1 month and 15 days the "Palmetto brand" is known no more. Tals was the first experiment of "governmont owenership" in South Caroline, and the fruits have been such that it is likely to be the last for many a year as it should be. Neither municipality nor State is likely to embirk upon that sea while memory of the State dispensary lives as a "terrible warning." Advocates of the system promised that the dispensary profits would eliminate State taxe.

Wu Ting Fang Reappointed. Lieut. Harry Newton Cootes, who is in Pekin, Sept. 24.—The reappointment the Valley working up interest in the System profits would eliminate State taxe.

That as according to the State taxe. The same and the state of the That, as sensible men predic ed, was an gazetted today.

unrealized dresm. The thing got into politics and stayed there, and there corruption was so appalling that the strennous efforts of Senator Tilman could not stem the tide of revolt which came none too soon.

Even a short trip through the country now will convince almost anyone that the happiest man in the land today is the successful farmer He sits under his own vine and fig tree, undisturbed by the maddening noise of the great city. Banks fail, railroads go into the hands of receivers, booming towns collapse, all business stagnates, but the farmer can map his fingers at these things. He is a monarch of all he surveys on his broad acres. And in bringing up his boys and been apparent throughout the ages, and girls to follow in the straight and narrow pathway he gives to the nation its best blood. The farmer is to be envied, and if he is not content with his lot he is lacking wisdom.

According to the Chicago Tribune, members of the Chicago branch of the Independence League will go to New York, where they hope to nominate W R. Hearst as the democratic candidate for President. Should this be done there would be no use in holding an election in 1908, for the men comprising the bone and sinew of the democratic party will certainly not vote for Mr. Hearst,

From Washington

[Correspondende of the Alexandria Gazette.] The weather bureau announces records of a small earthquake yesterday after-noon, beginning at 4:25 o'clock, and continuing for thirty minutes. Owing to the indefinite time of beginning, it is explained that it is scarcely practicable to estimate the distance but that the quake is assumed to have been of only noderate intensity, and far from Wasi logion. There were several waves of v-ry l ng perio s. The strong moti n, wi han amplitude north and south o nearly four tenths of a millimere occurred three minutes before 5 o'clock. The north and south movement was much

Prospects of the American fleet using American coal on its cruise to the Pa e fic went glimmering today when it was found upon opening bids for furnishing and transporting coal to the fleet at the various station that bidders on Welsh oal were far below bidders on American coal in American vessels.

Attorney General Bonaparte announc ed today that District Attorney Heney, who has been fighting San Francisco graftors, would prosecute some of the Oregon land criminal cases at Portland, and the district Attorney Bristol, or Ongon, will try others.

A soft drink" squad is to be organ ized at the Afiricultural Department, under the direction of Chief Chemis Wiley. Beverage and other preparations only sold at soda fountains, will be tosted, and their effects upon the

human organism observed.

Lee de Forest, the wireless telegraph mar, began suit here todey to restrain Benjamin F. Cole from disposing of ce-an patents, and to or ler their re-con-veyance to De Forest, because of a vio-

The body of a white man was found it the south end of the Highway Bridge this morning. It has not yet been iden ified, and it is not known whether his death was the result of an accident or whether he committed suicide.

An application to Congress for an appropriation of \$100,000 to cover insuguation expenses will be presented at the forthcoming term by Commissioner West of the District of Columbia.

Search is being made in the Tidal
Ba-in for the body of a man, who is supburned a boarding house kept by Mrs. posed to have committed suicide this Wallace in Vinalhaven, Me. found on the shore. It was addressed to Mrs Greenwell, 506 E-ghth street southwest, and read: "Good-bye, sister. It's all over. DAVE" It was subsequently ascertained that David Pheifer

had drowned himself.
President Roosevelt's probable course of action on the Oklahoma constitution is a subaction on the Okl thoma constitution is a sub-ject of discussion in governmental c reles. No question as to his approval was raised until word same from republican leaders in the proposed State th it he constitution was open to serious objection. Under the law the President has only tweety days for approval after r ceipt of a certified copy. It is be-lieved here that he will take flual action on the matter before he leaves on his western trip, beginning Sunday.

MISSING COUPLE. Although there was no abatement selerday in the storm which was sweeping Long Island Sound, and if suything the wind was blowing harder, many r scue parties continued to search for the small sloop Microbe, in which Guido de Angelis, the young civil engineer, and fifteen-year-old Beatrice Benton, of New whole day searching, the rescue parties the frantis parents of the young couple. The Microbe had 250 pounds of lead on her keel, and it is now believed that she went to the bottom and carried two young lives with her. The parents of When it is carried beyond this, es to keep her away from de Angelis on account of her youth.

Creston, Ohio, Sept. 24.—A train of a locomotive and four cars, run on the new eleven-mile cut-off of the Baltimore & Obio Railroad from the town to | uilivan yesterday sank out of sight. Only by jumping did the train crew escape death in the treacherous earth of the Great Fill, At almost the same moment a great stretch of the highway, cutting under the railroad tracks a half mile from where grust over an underground lake, whose existence has been suspected for years, le supposed to have broken. On the advice of the county engineers Wayne county is to abandon the road,

Body of a Woman Found.

New York, Sept. 24.-Marks on the body of a woman found dead today in the water at the fat of Forty-sixth street, south Brooklyn, wake the police think she was murdered and thrown into the lower bay. The corpse was but partly clad, and had vidently been affrat three or four days.

News of the Day.

Sixteen and possibly twenty-four lives during the recent equinoctial gale. Judge Austin L. Crothers, democratic

nominee for Governor of Maryland, is declared by his physicians to be suffering from typhoid fever in a mild form at

excitement. A conservative estimate of the situation gives McClellan five districts and Murphy the rest

Capt. Cassius Marshall Sanford, re ferred to in the affidavit of Mrs. Lulu Williams Clark as having been present at the murder of Governor Goebel of Kentucky, denies all of Mrs. Clark's statements.

Peace has been declared in Morocco. The delegates of three important tribes have accepted the Freuch peace overtures inaugurated yesterday, and will see that the terms of the agreement are carried out. Hostilities are now at an

The case of Senator Borah, accused the United States government by false entries of public lands, began in the Federal District Court before Judge Edward Whitson, at Boise City yester-

Gen, Stephen D. Lee, commandant of the United Confederate Veterans, has issued an order to the effect that cadet military schools maintained by the Confederacy were in the military service, and are entitled to membership in the veterans' association.

Yesterday's preceedings in the Standaid Oil hearing developed an attempt by minority stockholders representing the Standard Oil to secretly elect officers for the Tidewster Pipe Company, of Pennsylvania, which election the court declared fraudulent.

The national convention of the Brothe hood of St. Andrew will meet in Washington tomorrow. A number of foreign delegates are expected. The programme of enterta nment includes a reception by the President and visits to Mount Vernon, the cathedral close and other points

General James H. Lane, professor of engineering at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, died at his home in Auburn Saturday night, in the seventy-fourth year of his rge. General Lane served in the Confederate army as a brigadier general. General Lane was born at Mathews Courthouse, Va., July, 28,

That Suyvesant Fish means to fight E. H. Harriman to a finish and assume nce more a position of commanding importance in the affsirs of the Illinois Central, from which Mr. Harriman ousted him, was made evident yesterday, when Mr. Fish sent out a long letter to stockholders, asking them for their proxies to vote at the annual meeting of the company, which will be held in Chi-orgo, on October 16.

That Americans are carnivero nimals is shown by the fact that in the year 1904 wholesale butchers slaughtered slaughtering of such large quantities of meat, the ice manufacturing industry has increased from practically nothing in 1870 to a production worth \$23,000, 000 in 1905. The leading States, accord ing the quantity of ice produced are Pennsylvanis, New York, Ohio, Texas, Missouri, California and Louisiana.

Mrs. Abbie Wallace, aged 60, was burned to deata, one man was bruised and slinken up by jumping from a sec-ond story window, and seven men and two women barely escaped with their Search is being made in the Tidal lives from a fire which early yesterday barin for the body of a man, who is supposed to have committed suicide this morning. A hat with a note it was all of whom were boarders, and the two third secured about \$13, but in his haste women domestics were awakened by Mrs. Waltsce, who had discovered the fire, and burried from the building, one man being forced to jump from the up-per window. The death of Mrs. Walwas not known until her bones were found in the ruins yesterday afternoon.

WOMAN'S BODY IN TRUNK.

The police of Seattle, Wash., last night identified the body of the woman found stuffed in a trunk cast on the beach at South Alki Sunday morning as that of Mrs. Agnes Trueman Mc-Combs Covington, seventeen years old, formerly of Virginia. The woman had been strangled to death. She was the wife of Frank Covington, for several months employed as salesman by the Dilsheimer Liquor Company, of Scattle. Covington is missing and the police are looking for him. Acquaintances say they have not seem him for a week. The wom body in the trunk had been dead at least Rochelle, N. Y., put out for a sail on a week. Mrs. Covington was the daugh-Saturday afternoon. After spending the ter of Trueman McCombs, who lives near Vernon, British Columbia, Covreturned last night with no tidings for ington is about twenty-three years of age. He is said to have come to Scattle two years ago from Louisville, Ky. The couple had recently been quarreling and

All the members of the Covington mystery, at Seattle, Wash., moved from Rutherglen, Va., to the west two years ago. Their exact destination was not known at Rutherglen. There was a daughter n med E lith in the family.

SHENANDOAH VALLEY DAY.

The programme for Shenandoah Valley Day Wednesday, September 25th, at the Jamestown Exposition, bas been announced by the exposition management. The mosic for the day will be furnished by the famous Stonewall Brigade Band, of Staunton, a band that stirs the hearts of every Virginian. The exercises will open at 11.80 o'clock in the Auditorium. President Harry George Tucker, of the Expo sition Company, a native of the val-ley, will preside and make the address of welcome. Lieut-Gov. J. Taylor Ellyston of Virginia will make an address of welcome in behalf of Virginia and then Capt. R. S. Parks, of Luray will make the oration of the day. At 4:30 o'clock a special attraction of Speedy's high dive on the Warpath has been arranged and at 5:30 there will be a parade of the troops encamped at the Exposition. The day will close with a grand display of fir works, Valley.

Virginia News.

"Robert Fulton Day" was observed were lost along the Newfoundland coast at the Jamestown Exposition with elabo-Governor Swauson yesterday confired the report that he will be at the James-

Chairman Eliison has called the dem-

contest from Amherst county. J. H. Griffith, a retired capitalist, Richmond, and more recently of Gor-donsville, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his son-in-law. Dr. J. E. Taylor, at Ringgold, Pittaylvania county. He was sixty-three years of age, and is survived by a widow, and three

children. Announcement has been made by the postoffice department that commencing Oct. 1 the following offices in Virginia would be raised from the fourth-class to the presidential class and that the postwith 12 others of conspiracy to delraud masters would receive an annual salary of \$1,100 each: Burkeville, Charlotte Courthouse, Elkton, Fairfax, Parksley, Scottsville, and South Norfolk.

The annual meeting of the Virginia Pharmaceutical Association convened in Richmond yesterday, President E. C. Hammer, of Lynchburg, delivered the annual address. The committee on legislation, which will propose a new pharmacy law, held a special meeting today. The association will entertain as their guests the Rhode Island Pharmaceutical Association, who reached Richmond to-

Mrs. H. O. Williams, wife of secretary H. O. Williams, of the Railroad Young Men's Christian Association, who lives in the Madison flats, in Rich mond, was rudely awakened yesterday morning by a hand on her throat. She screamed, and she says that her as-sailant, a negro, rushed from the room to the fire escape and got away. Williams was out of town on business, and it is thought that the negro was cogni-

zant of this when he entered the room. The Cedar Run Hunt Club was organ ized in Nokesville Saturday with thirty members. It includes some of the best riders in Prince William county and has one of the best fields in the State for fox hunting. The following officers were elected: President H. W. Herring, Nokesville; secretary and treasurer, Melvin C. Hazen, Washington, D. C.; executive committee, C. J. Meetz, Bristow.; W. J. Green, Nokesville,; H. H. Hall, Gainesville; master of hounds, R. L. Adamson, Warrenton; first whip C. J. Meetze, Bristow; second whip, W.

Col. Charles Euker, commandant of the Lee Camp Soldiers' Home of Rich-mond, died yesterday. His Jeath was sudden, but not wholly unexpected. Col. Euker was nearly 70 years old and lived in Richmond all his life. He was a Confederate soldier, serving with distinction. After the war he was engaged for s number of years in business pursuits, but lately he had been in the employ 31,000,000 hogs, 11,000,000 sheep and of the Passenger and Power Company 7,000,000 beeves according to a census bulletin issued yesterday. The value is placed at \$663,000,000. With the Captain J. R. Resser will act as commandant temporarily.

The cash drawer of the Morgan Hotel at Danville was rifled yesterday morning by Nathan Lyons, a negro beliboy, who locked Ernest Adams, the night clerk, in the lavatory. Adams left the negro sitting in a chair in the office, and presuming be was asleep, went into the layatory. No sooner had be closed the door behin! him than be heard a click. After much trouble he finally succeed in getting out by breaking open a rear window. When he returned he to get away left nearly that amount un-

Sick Headachs.

This disease is caused by a derangt-ment of the stomach. Take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to correct this disorder and the sick headache will disappear. For rale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Giosos &

YESTERDAY'S RAINFALL

Owing to the heavy rains the past two days a serious wreck occurred on the C. & O. Railroad at Indian Rock, a few miles below Clifton Forge yesterday mornny. The trouble was due to an enor mous rock sliding from the top of the mountain to the track below. It is estimated that 250 tons of rock and dirt were precipitated to the track. Freight train No. 78 ran into the obstruction causing the engine to be turned over, the de railment and almost complete destruction of six steel cars loaded with coal. E. B. Engart, engineer, was fatally injured, E. L. McGelice, brakeman, was killed

The worst flood that has visited Roanoke in 15 years was experienced Sunday night and yesterday rain tell in sheets for 13 hours. The sewers and surface drain could not carry off the water, which poured from the hills into the business center, filling many streets to a half a hundred stores and shops in Salem avenue, one of the principal retail

A wind of cyclonic velocity swept the suburban settlement of Prentis Place near Norfolk Sunday night, leveling two houses and unroofing others. The path of the disturbance was clean marked, The wind did most of the damage in Atlanta street. A two-story frame dwelling belonging to Jesse Whitney on that thoroughfare, which was practical com-pleted, fell with a crash in one of the gusts, and although part of the house was or cupied by Mr. Whitney and his family every member of his household exceped without injury.

FALSE PHEORIES

Lead to Worthless or Harmful Remedies

Stimulating the sca'p may allay the itching
of the dannuni, but that does not cure the
scalp. The duease won't yield to quinine or
e peicum nor al whol, because it is caused by
a germ or parasite. To cure dandunid the
germ must be destroyed. Until recently there
was no hair preparation, or dandunif cure, or
hair restorer on the market that would kill
that insidious germ that dries up the scalp in
little scales called the dandunif cure, or
hittle scales called the danduning hair and
ittle scales called the danduning hair and
fivally haldness. Newboo's Herpicide is the
dandruff, prevent falling hair and bildness.
SId by leading druggists, Jend 10c in
slamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two sizes—56c and \$1.00. E. S.
Leadbeater & Sons, Special Agents.

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Today's Telegraphic News.

Receivers Appointed. New York. Sept. 24 -The first steps to wind up the affairs of the street rail- K. M. Landis entered an order to this way corporations of this city and place them on a paying basis came toda; when the promised application for a receiver for the New York City Railway Company was made to Justice Lacombe in his chambers. The petitioners are the Penn. Steel Company and the Dragen Contracting Company. Mar-quand, Byrne and Cutcheon made the application for the complainants and E. Lancey Nicholl, Paul Cravath, James L. Quackenbush and A. A. Gardner representing the company admitted the allegations made in this complaint and joins in the application for the appointment of a receiver. Judge La combe appointed Adrian H. Jolins and Robinson as receivers and fixed their bonds at \$250,000 each.

Fear a Tidal Wave

New York, Sept. 24.-Implicitly accepting as true the recent prediction of an amateur weather prophet that New York will be swept by a tidal wave on the night of September 24, the lower east side is in a panic today which is causing the police considerable inconvenience Many families have hustled their household effects to the roofs in the hope of getting them above the water's reach; thers are temporarily quitting the city and a few even tried to drag small boats through the streets to places where they would be conveniently at hand in the event of the expected inundation. The prophecy, originally published in a monthly magazine, was copied by several Italian and Hebrew papers. The past few days' heavy rains increased the feeling of alarm until thousands of the tenement dwellers are on the verge of a

A. M. Brady on the Stand.

New York, Sept. 24 .- Anthony M. Brady, multi-millionaire gas and traction expert, developed a surprising lack of memory when he took the stand today in the bearing of the government's action designed to secure the dissolution of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey. Brady was a partner of Commodore E.C. Benedict in the transactions which led up to the sale of the Manhattan Oil Company to the Standard only after it had shown the big monopoly that it was a dangerous competitor. Brady swore that he couldn't remember when he organized the Manhatian Oil Company, although the concern had a capital stock of \$2,000,000. He proved a decidedly tough witness for Kellogg to handle and it became necessary to produce the incorporation papers before he displayed any knowledge whatsoever.

Costly Violins Stolen.

New York, Sept. 24,-Half crazed rather by grief at the loss of the instru-ments which he loved better than any consideration of their money value, Louis Kapp, a musician, of 127 west 12th street, reported to the police early today a theft from his home of a Stradivarius violin, worth \$10,000, and an Amati, worth about \$2,000. Kapp's story is that he bought the Stradivarius in Paris about six years ago and the Amati in the same city two years later. The two violins were smong the finest in the country and have been admired by many musicians. Kapp is an instructor of violin technique and well known in the city. He left his home to keep an appointment last evening, did not return until late and when he arrived found both violins and three bows worth about

Explosion on Casoline Yacht.

Gallipolis, O., Sopt. 24.-The Ohio river is being dragged today for the bodies of four men who lost their lives in the explosion on the gasoline racht, Blanche M. at Gallipolis Island last night. The Blanche M. was carrying an excursion party of 22 when she was blown up by a lantern falling into the hold, igniting the gasoline tank. The yacht was destroyed in five minutes. The yacht was destroyed in five minutes. The fact that the explosion blew all but two persons into the river saved many lives,

Rioting Miners.

Berlin, Sept. 24.-Severe rioting mong the miners at Moers, Prussis, is reported. A mass meeting which was being held was attacked by the police who attempted to disperse the crowd. The miners resisted and fighting followed in which two miners were killed and fourteen wounded, while the police had one killed and two hurt. The interior of the railroad station where the meeting was being held was demolished.

Investigating Graft.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—Members of the Chicago police department and Cook county deputy sheriffs are vicing with each other in'a "graft" contest. Dis-closures up to date award even honors. Dis-While policemen have figured in half a dozen "holds ups," Deputy Sheriffs are charged with baying supplied opium and cocaine to prisoners and with aiding bail prisoners to saw their way to liberty.

Double Suicide.

New York, Sept. 24.—John Murphy, aged 55, and his wife Frances, were ound unconscious from illuminating gas in their house at 44 Charles street today. Murphy died before medical aid arrived and the woman is dying. depth from 6 to 12 inches, and flooding note on the table indicated Murphy had tried to kill bimself and the woman. He asked that his father be notified.

> "Haunted" Telephone Exchange, Wellesley, Mass., Sept. 24.—Unable to keep a night operator at its "haunted" exchange here, the New England Telephone Company has erected a new building guaranteed ghost proof. Two years ago a night operator was found dead at his post and since then ten suc-

> cessors have been driven away by alleg-

ed ghostly manifestations. To be Wed on Roller Skates.

Chicago, S.pt. 24.-With the bridg I as he made the attempt, Had the and bridegroom gliding slong on roller skates and Rov. George F Hall following, also on rollers, one of the most unique Lead to Worthless or Harmful Remedies | weddings of the serg n will be performed

Chicago and Alton Immune. Chicago, Sept. 24 — The Chicago and Alton Railroad has been granted im-BY VIRTUE OF and No. 33, page 547, land records of Alexandria, Va., the undersigned, by correction of the beard of directors of the Mechanics' Building Association No. 5, of Alexandria, but having been made in munity from prosecution. Federal Judge

effect, shortly after 11 o'clock this morning. A moment later he ordered that Jas. Moffoot, President of the Standard Oil Company of Indians, should appear before the federal grand jury and testify concerning figures he published in paper charging that many big shippers have done the very thing for which the Standard was fined. This action is in return for the Chicago and Alton turning State's evidence against the Standard

her daughter, after a frantic search,

him from a consumptive's death prompt-

Mother Kills Her Three Children.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 24.—One of the most startling tragedies in the his-

tory of Buffalo occurred today when Bertha Mund, 37 years old murdered

her three children. The police found

the children dead in bed. There was a

rope around the neck of the baby. To strangle the other children the mother

had used part of the bed clothing. It is

New York Stock Market.

New York, Sept. 24 .- The early stock

market followed the London lead for a

little while, some declines being made, but before many minutes had passed gen-

eral strength was developed, and at the

end of the first hour many stocks showed

material advances over yesterday's clos-ing figures. Railroad and other bonds

STEAMBOAT RATES.

ington Steamboat Company on the other,

Because the new company advertised

the old as a "monopoly" several spirit-

ed clashes have occurred recently be-

tween representatives of the competing

transportation lines.

The new lines, which are operated by a company, of which William J. Payne,

the trolley magnate, is the head, opened

the rate between Norfolk and Washing-

the night line. The rate between Rich-

trip between Richmond and Washington

eing cut to \$4 by the new company.

The struggle between the competing companies reached a climax recently

when the Washington, Jamestown and

Norfolk Steamship line adoped an ex-

traordinary method of cutting into the

business of the Nortolk and Washing

ton Company. Probably 60 per cent. of the travel to the Jamestown Exposition

from other parts of the country is by

way of Washington. By a traffic arrangement with the different railroads the Jamestown tourists were booked from

Washington to Norfolk over the Norfolk

and as the result a great stream of pass-

enger traffic was diverted from the Nor-

folk and Washington line. Agents of the

railroad and steamship companies pro-tested in vain against the unusual tac-

tics. The new line officers were assured

never receive a penny from the roads

The new line officers replied that they

would take chances; that, in any event

the advertisement was worth something

the Queen Anne, now running between

The new company has one steamer

Richmond and Norfolk, and one boat,

the Montauk, plying between Norfolk, the Jamestown Exposition and Washing-ton. Two other steamers, in course of

building, will be added, making a fleet

The rate war reached fever heat re

cently when J. Bernard Clinedinst was

made general passenger agent of the new lines. Mr. Clinedinst insugurated an

aggressive campaign, which has stirred

things to a hectic aspect. Tue agents

of the competing companies are now at

It is believed that the old companie

YOUTHFUL DYNAMITER.

Frank Adams, 19 years ald, who al-

leges he was compelled to join a Black Hand Society at Walston, a mining town

near Punzsutawney, Pa., was arrested parly Sunday while attempting to blow up the home of Salvatore Spanelli, Adams had placed a can, containing

sufficient dynamite to blow up a block of houses, under the Spanelli home. While

making the arrest the State police were

fired upon by persons believed to be members of the same society. Adams

is said to have made a complete confess

ion implicating many persons and alleges he was threatened with death un-

explosion occurred 17 persons doubtless would have been killed. The foreigners

attempted to lynch Adams when they

Ex-Senstor Chandler's resignation

from the Spanish Treaty Claims Com-mission is taken to be a final break with

The Touch that Heals

Is the touch of Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

learned the situation.

the administration.

it, hammer and tongs

that issued the tickets.

Norfolk and Washington.

mond and Norfolk was \$2.50.

is growing in bitterness day by day.

believed the woman is insane.

ed the girl to seek her own life.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1907, at 12 m. o'clock, the following property:
A lot of ground with the improvements thereon, in said city, beginning on the south side of Cameron street 36½ feet west of Henry street and running thence west on Cameron street 48 feet 11 inches; thence south parallel with Henry street 39 feet 2 inches; thence east parallel with Cameron street 48 feet 11 inches, and thence north 39 feet 2 inches to the beginning, and all appur teameres.

Terms of Sale: Cash.
J. R. ZIMMERMAN,
T. F. McDERMOTT,
LEOPOLD RUBEN,
Trustees. Company, which has been approved by Attorney General Bonaparte. Mother Warned in a Dream. New York, Sept. 24.—Warned in a dream that her 18-year-old daughter. Minnie, was trying to kill herself, Minnie Hanley was just in time to save

John M. Johnson, Attorney, sep24 td the young woman early today from By St.muel H. Lunt, Auctioneer death at her own hand. Leaping from her bed in terror, Mrs. Hanley found

By S. muel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIJ.TUE OF A DEED OF TRUST
recorded in deed book No. 43, page 100,
a land record of the city of Alexandria, Va.,
the urdersigned, by direction of the board of
directors of the Mechanics' Building Association No. 5, of Alexandria, Va., default
having been made in the provisions of said
deed, will ofter for sale at public auction in
front of the Market building, Royal street, in
this city, on locked in a bathroom with the gas turn-ed on and already unconscious. She is now in Bellevue Hospital in a serious condiction. Her sweetheart's departure for a climate which he hopes will save

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1907,

By Samuel H. I.

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at 12 o'clock m., the following property:
A lot of ground with improvements, in said city, beginning on the east side of Pitt street 122 feet north of Gibbon street and running thence east 113 feet 5 inches to an alley 20 feet wide; thence south on said alley 13 feet; thence west 113 feet 5 inches to Pitt street, and thence north on Pitt street 13 feet to the beginning, and all appurtenances.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

LEOPOLD RUBEN,
C. B. MARSHALLI. C. B. MARSHALL, J. D. STANTON, Trustees.

John M. Johnson, Attorney. sep24 td

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer. By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

By VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST
to the undersigned, recorded in deed book
No. 44, page 517, a land record of the city of
Alexandria, Va., by direction of the board of
directors of the Mechanics' Building Association No. 5, of Alexandria, Va., default having been made in the provisions of said deed,
they will offer for sale at public auction in
front of the Market building, Royal street, in
this city.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1907,

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1907, at 12 m, o'clock, the following property:
A lot of ground and improvements beginning on the east side of Alfred street 18 feet soun of Wilkes street and running south on Alfred street 22 feet; thence cast 70 feet; thence north 22 feet, and thence west 70 feet to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

Terms of Sale: Cash.
LEOFOLD RUBEN,
C. B. MARSHALL,
J. D. STANTON,
Trustees.

John M. Johnson, Attorney. The rate war, which is already warmly waging between the new Washington, Jamestown and Norfolk Steamship Company and the Richmond and Norfolk Steamship Co., on one side, and the Old Dominion, the Virginia Navigation Company and the Norfolk and Wash-

John M. Johnson, Δttorney. sep24 td

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer. By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

By VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST recorded in deed book No. 29, page 526, a land record of the city of Alexandria, Va., the undersigned, by direction of the board of directors of the Mechanics' Building Association No. 5, of Alexandria, Va., default having been made in the provisions of said deed, will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Market building, on Royal street, in said city, en

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the war by cutting the rates between Richmond and Norfolk and between SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1907. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1907, at 12 m, o'clock, the following property:
A lot of ground and improvements in Alexandria, Va, beginning at a point on the west side of Patrick street 100 feet north of Wythe street and running thence north on Patrick street 20 feet; thence west parallel with Wythe street 110 feet; thence south parallel with Patrick street 20 feet; thence east 110 feet to the beginning, with all appurtenances. At the beginning of the struggle, when the new company began business, ton was \$3,50 on the day line and \$5 on These figures have been slashed to about one-half, the rate for the round

east 110 respurtenances,
Terms of Sale: Cash,
J. R. ZIMMERMAN,
T. F. MCDERMOTT,
LEOPOLD RUREN,
Truste

John M. Johnson, Attorney, sep24 td

REAL ESTATE.

M. B. HARLOW & CO., INC.,

119 S. Fairiax St.

WE represent a number of wealthy nonby the railroad men that they would residents who have authorized us to purchase for them any desirable improved Alexandria city property.

> Those desiring to effect a quick sale of their property, for cash, wili find it to their advantage to list their property with us.

are preparing to spring a new rate and in other ways meet the situation precipitated by the opposition.—[Richmond M. B. Harlow & Co., Inc., 119 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va.

WANTED.

WANJED.—A BOY to wait in the room in the day time, sep23 3t L. SHUMAN & SON,

EMPLOYEES WANTED.

We have an opportunity to locate two large mills (silk and hosiery) in this city to employ white girls and women, if sufficient operators can be secured who are willing to learn the business. Light work, pleasant surroundings, reasonable hours. Wages graded according to skill. We desire to know the number that can be obtained in and around Alexandria for this work, and would ask that those the happiest combination of Arnica flowers and healing halsams ever compounded. No matter how old the sore or uleer is, this Salve will cure it. For burns, scalds, cnts, wounds or piles, it has no equal. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadpeater & Sons, druggists, 25c. willing to learn the business will send their names to the undersigned. information will be considered and treat-

ed as strictly confidential. J. T. PRESTON.

FRESH GRAHAM FLOUR just received Secretary of the Chamber of Commence by J. C. MILBURN.